

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

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DOT-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 FAA-00 PA-02 USIA-15 PRS-01

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R 010035Z AUG 75

FM AMCONSUL PORT MORESBY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 730

INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMCONSUL SYDNEY

AMCONSUL BRISBANE

UNCLAS PORT MORESBY 0742

E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: PDEV, PP

SUBJ: PNG INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATIONS: INTERNATIONAL AIR

RACE

1. PRIVATE AERO CLUB HERE PROMOTING INTERNATIONAL AIR RACE  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH INDEPENDENCE CELEBRATIONS. WHILE  
GPNG SUPPORTIVE IDEA, IT IS NOT AN OFFICIAL FUNCTION.

2. PRESIDENT AERO CLUB TRYING DRUM UP U.S. CONTENDERS AND  
REQUESTS FOLLOWING MESSAGE BE PASSED BY DEPT TO NATIONAL  
COUNCIL OR COORDINATING GROUP U.S. AERO CLUBS FOR DISTRIBUTION  
TO ITS MEMBERSHIP.

3. "AN INTERNATIONAL AIR RACE FROM BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA TO  
PORT MORESBY, PAPUA NEW GUINEA WILL BE CONDUCTED BY SOUTH  
PACIFIC AERO CLUB PORT MORESBY WITH FULL PNG GOVERNMENT  
SUPPORT TO COINCIDE WITH PNG INDEPENDENCE IN SEPTEMBER 1975.  
MAIN EVENT OVER THREE DAYS COMMENCES 13TH SEPTEMBER LIMITED  
TO AIRCRAFT MAXIMUM AUW 12500 LBS. 1FR TWO DAY EVENT  
COMMENCES 14TH SEPTEMBER AIRCRAFT TYPES UNLIMITED.  
PRIZE MONEY EXCEEDS DOLLARS AUSTRALIAN 5000. WOULD  
WELCOME U.S. CREW PARTICIPATION AND REQUEST CIRCULATION  
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OF BRIEF DETAILS AMONST AERO CLUB MOVEMENT IN USA AND

U.S. PACIFIC POSSESSIONS. FULL DETAILS MAILED ON REQUEST  
TO CABLE ADDRESS SPACEAERO OR P.O. BOX 244, PORT MORESBY."  
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